



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 50321

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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John Pope et al.) Group Art Unit: 3672
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Application No.: 10/662,806) Examiner: M. SMITH
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Filed: September 16, 2003)
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FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR) Confirmation No.: NA
DESORBING METHANE FROM COAL)
FORMATIONS VIA PRESSURE WAVES)
OR ACOUSTIC VIBRATIONS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 9, 2005, the period for response having been extended to December 9, 2005 by a request for extension of three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.